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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANT
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In response to the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief dated July 10, 2007,
please enter the following Summary of the Claimed Subject Matter as required by 37 CFR
41.37(c)(1)(v).

SUMMARY OF CLAIMED SUBJECT MATTER

The subject matter of each independent claim involved in this appeal is described below with reference to the specification and drawings as denoted in parentheses.

Claim 1 is directed to a display device (1) comprising electroluminescent pixels (6) (Specification, Page 3, Line 17 through Page 4, Line 15; Figures 1-4) and a drive element (13-15) comprising means for detecting and adjusting radiation emitted by the pixels (Specification, Page 4, Line 16 through Page 5, Line 2; Page 5, Lines 24-33; Figures 1 and 5), and correction means for correcting the adjustments for an influence of detected ambient light radiation (Specification, Page 5, Lines 3-33; Figures 1 and 5), characterized in that the correction means comprise at least one reference photosensor (16) for detecting the ambient radiation; wherein the at least one reference photosensor is shielded from the emitted radiation (Specification, Page 5, Lines 5-11 and 24-33; Figures 1 and 5).

Claim 9 is directed to a display device (1) comprising: a plurality of electroluminescent pixels (6) (Specification, Page 3, Line 17 through Page 4, Line 15; Figures 1-4), a drive element (13-15) including at least one emitted-radiation photosensor (18) operably coupled to the electroluminescent pixels for detecting and adjusting radiation emitted by the pixels (Specification, Page 4, Line 16 through Page 5, Line 2; Figure 1), at least one reference photosensor (16) optically shielded from the emitted radiation (Specification, Page 5, Lines 5-11; Figures 1 and 5) for detecting ambient radiation, a computing unit (20) operably connected to receive signals from the at least one reference photosensor (16) and the at least one emitted-radiation photosensor (18), wherein the drive element adjusts emitted radiation based on signals from the computing unit which are corrected for an influence of the detected ambient radiation (Specification, Page 5, Lines 3-23; Figures 1 and 5).

Claim 15 is directed to a display device (1) comprising: a plurality of electroluminescent pixels (6) (Specification, Page 3, Line 17 through Page 4, Line 15; Figures 1-4), at least one reference photosensor (16) arranged for detecting ambient radiation without detecting radiation emitted by the electroluminescent pixels (Specification, Page 5, Lines 5-11; Figures 1 and 5), at least one emitted-radiation photosensor (18) for detecting said emitted radiation and a drive element (13-15) operably connected to the at least one reference photosensor, to the at least one emitted-radiation sensor and to the electroluminescent pixels to control the emitted radiation independently of the influence of ambient radiation detected by the at least one reference photosensor (Specification, Page 4, Line 16 through Page 5, Line 23; Figures 1 and 5).

SUMMARY

Please enter this summary of the claimed subject matter to supplement the appeal brief filed September 27, 2005. If the Examiner has any questions regarding this submission, Appellants respectfully request that the Examiner contact the undersigned at the number provided below.

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